

5     What is claimed is:

1.     An imaging system comprising:
  - a first panel;
  - a second panel;

first hinge means for hingedly connecting said first panel to said second panel and for movement

10            of said first panel and said second panel relative to each other;

  - a plurality of transparent cards;

second hinge means for hingedly connecting said plurality of transparent cards to said second

                  panel and for movement of said second panel and said transparent cards relative to each

                  other;

15            a magnetically responsive display operable to create an image, said magnetically responsive

                  display being mounted on said first panel and said magnetically responsive display having

                  magnetically responsive material therein;

                  mounting means for mounting said magnetically responsive display on said first panel;

                  a hand operated instrument for positioning on said magnetically responsive display and movable

20            thereon to form images; and

                  mounting means for removeably mounting said hand operated instrument to said magnetically

                  responsive display.

2.     The imaging system of claim 1, wherein said first panel has a front side, a back side and at

                  least one side edge, wherein said second panel has a front side, a back side and first and second

25            edges, and wherein said first hinge means is configured to hingedly connect said at least one side

                  edge of said first panel to said first edge of said second panel.

5       3. The imaging system of claim 2, wherein each of said plurality of transparent cards has a front side, a back side and at least one side edge and wherein said second hinge means is configured to hingedly connect said at least one side edge of each of said plurality of transparent cards to said second edge of said second panel.

10      4. The imaging system of claim 3, wherein said magnetic drawing tablet means has a front side and a back side and wherein the back side of said magnetic drawing tablet means is mounted to the front side of said first panel.

15      5. The imaging system of claim 4, wherein said first hinge means comprises a first plurality of apertures extending along the at least one side edge of said first panel, a second plurality of apertures extending along the first edge of said second panel, said second plurality of apertures being positioned to correspond with said first plurality of apertures, and a wire spiral that is threaded in alternating fashion through said first plurality of apertures and said second plurality of apertures, said wire spiral defining an inner circumference that is essentially constant along the at least one side edge of said first panel and the first edge of said second panel.

20      6. The imaging system of claim 5, wherein said magnetic pen means has a first end, a second end spaced from said first end, and a permanent magnet positioned at said first end.

7. The imaging system of claim 6, wherein said magnetic pen means further has a shaft portion with a cross sectional area that is essentially constant between said first end and said

5 second end, and wherein said cross sectional area is sized to frictionally engage with the inner circumference of said wire spiral.

8. The imaging system of claim 7, wherein said second hinge means comprises a third plurality of apertures extending along the second edge of said second panel, a fourth plurality of apertures extending along the at least one side edge of each of said plurality of transparent cards, 10 said fourth plurality of apertures being positioned to correspond with said third plurality of apertures, and a wire spiral that is threaded in alternating fashion through said third plurality of apertures and said fourth plurality of apertures.

9. The imaging system of claim 8, wherein each of said plurality of transparent cards has a unique image printed thereon, and wherein each of said plurality of transparent cards is sized and 15 positioned to overlay the front side of said magnetic tablet drawing means.

10. An imaging system, comprising:

a first panel;  
a magnetically responsive display operable to create an image, said magnetically responsive display being mounted on said first panel and having magnetically responsive material 20 therein;

a hand operated instrument for positioning on said magnetically responsive display and movable thereon to form images;

a plurality of image cards hingedly connected to said first panel; and  
hinge means for hingedly connecting said plurality of image cards to said first panel.

5 11. The imaging system of claim 10, wherein said first panel is rectangular in plan form, having a length and a width and an edge along said length, and wherein each one of said plurality of image cards is rectangular in plan for, having a length and a width and an edge extending along said length.

10 12. The imaging system of claim 11, wherein said hinge means includes a first plurality of apertures extending along said edge of said first panel, a second plurality of apertures extending along said edge of each of said plurality of image cards, said second plurality of apertures being positioned to correspond with said first plurality of apertures, and a wire spiral that is threaded in alternating fashion through said first plurality of apertures and said second plurality of apertures.

15 13. The imaging system of claim 12, wherein said magnetically responsive display has a screen portion and wherein said screen portion is offset an offset distance from said edge of said first panel.

14. The imaging system of claim 13, wherein the width of each of said plurality of image cards is substantially equal to said offset distance.

20 15. The imaging system of claim 14, wherein said wire spiral defines an inner circumference that is essentially constant along the edge of said first panel and wherein said hand operated instrument includes a shaft portion that is sized and configured to frictionally engage the inner circumference of said wire spiral.

5      16.     An imaging system, comprising:

      a first panel;

      a second panel;

      first hinge means for hingedly connecting said first panel to said second panel and for movement of said first panel and said second panel relative to each other;

10     a magnetically responsive display operable to create an image, said magnetically responsive display being mounted on said first panel and said magnetically responsive display having magnetically responsive material therein;

      a tablet of writing paper, said tablet of writing paper being mounted to said second panel;

      a hand operated instrument for positioning on said magnetically responsive display and movable

15        thereon to form images; and

      mounting means for removably mounting said hand operated instrument to said magnetically responsive display.